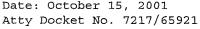
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entitled: AN IMAGE CAPTURE DEVICE, A METHOD OF CAPTURING IMAGES, AN IMAGE PRODUCING DEVICE AND A METHOD OF PRODUCING IMAGES

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